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DIARY NOTES

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5 April 1962

1. [REDACTED] reported that with regard to the "Pinkerton Bill" the Departments of Defense, Justice, and Treasury and the Bureau of the Budget--all now have gotten into the act. He believed that language which would be satisfactory to us would be worked out. However, he also said that on further study the General Counsel believed that even if the Bill should go through as presently written our own law was broad enough to permit us to continue our activities in this area. (I passed this on to Shef Edwards.)

2. Paul Borel telephoned about unassigned space in the northeast corner of the building which he regarded as OCR space into which he planned to move after it was converted into a secure area. I told him that there had been many changes in our requirements since this space was originally allocated to OCR and that his requirements, along with all others, would be considered. I made it clear to him that I was not optimistic that OCR would ever occupy this space. H

3. [REDACTED] reported that he had a very satisfactory meeting with Mr. Ford of the Department of State this morning and believed that an atmosphere now exists wherein we can go forward with the merged [REDACTED] service. H

4. I attended a party this evening which Mr. McCone gave in honor of [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] was most complimentary of our new building which he had visited once before, a little more than a year ago when it was still under construction.

5. I talked to Ting Sheldon and Art Lundahl about [REDACTED] rather negative attitude toward [REDACTED]. I said that as far as I could find out Chick hadn't yet received the word that there was any urgency about completing this move. Messrs. Sheldon and Lundahl both agreed to see that he was informed most emphatically and without delay. 25X1A5a1 H

6. I met with Emmett Echols and [REDACTED] to discuss the alumni association idea further. We sketched out a rough staff study, and they are to have a draft paper for me to consider by April 10 or 11.

7. [REDACTED] was in with the text of a brochure which he has developed to publish in connection with our recruitment efforts. It read all right to me, and I asked him to contact Stan Grogan to get his reaction. I also telephoned Stan and paved the way.

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